

Surface Mining Standards Committee
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NOTE ITEMS TO BE CONSIDERED FOR PLACEMENT ON A BOARD MEETING AGENDA MUST BE SUBMITTED NOT LATER THAN THIRTY (30) DAYS PRIOR TO THE SCHEDULED MEETING.

NOTE BOARD MEETINGS ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC AND ARE HELD IN BARRIER FREE FACILITIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT. FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR ASSISTANCE, CONTACT THE BOARD OFFICE.

NOTE INFORMATION REGARDING STATE MINING AND GEOLOGY BOARD MEETINGS MAY BE OBTAINED BY CALLING THE BOARD OFFICE AT (916) 322-1082. COPIES OF STAFF REPORTS AND APPROVED MINUTES MAY BE OBTAINED BY WRITING THE BOARD OFFICE AT 801 'K' STREET, MS 24-05, SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA 95814 OR BY ACCESSING THE BOARD'S WEB SITE:
<http://www.consrv.ca.gov/smgb>

NOTE IF YOU WISH TO COMMENT ON AN AGENDA ITEM OR SPEAK DURING THE PUBLIC COMMENTS PERIOD, PLEASE FILL OUT A "REQUEST TO SPEAK" FORM, AVAILABLE AT THE MEETING ROOM ENTRANCE, AND GIVE IT TO THE BOARD SECRETARY. PLEASE DELIVER THE FORM PRIOR TO THE ITEM BEING HEARD BY THE BOARD. DURING THE PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD, EACH SPEAKER IS LIMITED TO A MAXIMUM OF THREE MINUTES. AT THE DISCRETION OF THE CHAIRMAN, MORE TIME MAY BE GRANTED.

NOTE INDIVIDUALS ARE ENCOURAGED TO SUBMIT WRITTEN STATEMENTS OF ANY LENGTH AND DETAIL TO THE BOARD. IT IS PREFERABLE THAT THESE STATEMENTS BE SUBMITTED AT LEAST FIFTEEN (15) DAYS PRIOR TO THE MEETING SO THAT THE BOARD MEMBERS CAN PREVIEW THE INFORMATION BEFORE THE MEETING. **PLEASE SUBMIT 20 COPIES OF ALL WRITTEN MATERIALS IN EXCESS OF TWO PAGES.** THE BOARD WILL NOT REPRODUCE REPORTS IN EXCESS OF TWO PAGES OR LARGE MAPS, PHOTOS, OR OTHER DOCUMENTS REQUIRING SPECIAL HANDLING.

NOTE: A CLOSED SESSION MAY BE CALLED BY THE CHAIRMAN TO DISCUSS LITIGATION AND OTHER PRIVILEGED ATTORNEY/CLIENT COMMUNICATIONS BY AUTHORITY OF GOVERNMENT CODE §11126(q) AND SACRAMENTO NEWSPAPER GUILD vs. SACRAMENTO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS [1968] 266(b) CAL. APP. 2nd, 41; BASIS OF "LITIGATION" EXCEPTION IS THE ATTORNEY/CLIENT PRIVILEGE.

NOTE AS A STATE AGENCY, THE BOARD IS GOVERNED BY THE BAGLEY-KEENE OPEN MEETING ACT THAT REQUIRES THE BOARD TO (1) PUBLISH AN AGENDA AT LEAST TEN DAYS IN ADVANCE OF ANY MEETING; (2) DESCRIBE IN THE AGENDA SPECIFIC ITEMS TO BE TRANSACTED OR DISCUSSED; AND, (3) REFUSE TO ADD AN ITEM AFTER THE AGENDA IS PUBLISHED.